

## Message Text

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ACTION SY-05

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FM AMEMBASSY SANA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 671

C O N F I D E N T I A L SANA 1066

FOR A/SY/T/SP

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: ASEC  
SUBJECT: S/P EQUIPMENT

REFERENCE: STATE 041686

1. SECURITY OFFICE CURRENTLY HAS SEVERAL WW II FOUR-INCH LARGE FRAME COLT (COMMANDO) ON CHANCERY ISSUE TO EMBASSY PERSONNEL HAVING EMERGENCY DEFENSE DUTIES UNDER OUR NO-NOTICE TERRORIST PENETRATION PLAN, ETC.
2. HAVE EXPERIENCED SEVERAL FUNCTIONAL PROBLEMS WITH THESE WHEN FIRING OUR ISSUE JHP LOAD IN TRAINING (POOR INDEXING, EJECTOR ROD WORKS LOOSE, ETC). HAVE ALSO RECEIVED SEVERAL INFORMAL PLEAS FOR SOMETHING A GOOD DEAL MORE COMPACT, WITHM SMALLER GRIPS.
3. IF YOUR STOCKS PERMIT, WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE THREE MOD 60 ON DIRECT EXCHANGE FOR THREE COLTS. AT SHORT DISTANCES INVOLVED IN CHANCERY DEFENSE (SMALL BUILDING), SEE NO PROBLEM WITH USE OF TWO-INCH WEAPONS. PLEASE ADVISE.
4. ANTICIPATE TRAVEL TO JIDDA SOON IN CONJUNCTION WITH REFTTEL.MANY THANKS FOR CLEARING UP THIS PRJBBLEM.

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